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Fannie Susan Davis. Born January 26, 1876 in Wells, Minnesota.



Fannie Susan Davis Married Rufus Elijah Lawton on a Wednesday evening March 29, 1893.

This newsletter is dedicated to our grandmother Fannie Susan Davis Lawton. During the past several years and especially since I began the newsletter with the first issue dated March 29, 1995, I've felt a kinship with our remarkable grandmother. I feel like I know her. I feel her loving and kind nature. I think she was a remarkable woman that lived on the edge of the frontier and was indeed a pioneer. She was a very neat, choice and unique individual.

The territorial changes that occurred between 1776 and 1850 not only transformed the nation on the map, but also had a tremendous impact on nearly every facet of the nation's political life and the social lives of our ancestors. Fannie was

Fannie Susan Davis

Pioneer Women

Born in Minnesota

Lived in Nebraska and Utah

Gave birth to 9 children

Died in Provo, Utah

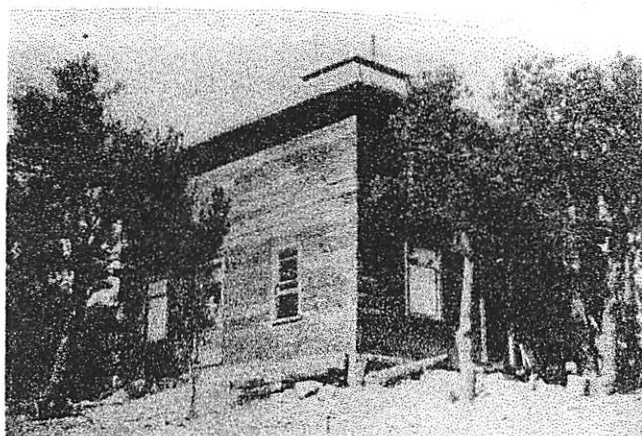
Buried in North Loup, Nebraska

Aunt Lena told us in her memories that the sawed house was finished enough so that they moved into it on the 2nd of February 1910. This is how the family and house looked in the early part of 1910.



Rufus and Fannie Susan Davis Lawton Family - shortly April 21, 1910
Rufus born 29 August 1872 - Fannie Susan born 21 January 1876

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| 1. Rollin Eugene, born 18 August 1894. | 2. Phylena Eliza, born 1 June 1898. |
| 3. Olive Marie, born 17 September 1900. | 4. Ina Lea, born 24 September 1903. |
| 5. Leonard Harrison, born 11 June 1905. | 6. Lloyd Lucerne, born 26 November 1906. |
| 7. Doris Irene, born 26 March 1908. | 8. Theodora Bill, born 21 April 1910. |



The Fruitland, Utah Homestead as it appeared in 1910

The Homestead picture at Rabbits Gulch, Fruitland, Utah; was taken by Mrs. Edgar (Irene) Jones, a neighbor. She also took the family picture above. The logs were sawed at the sawmill up on Mt. Tabby and Rufus hauled them down by team and wagon.

Photo Gallery

Herbert Eugene Davis

Herbert's Wife Mary



Harrison Edgar Davis

Eliza Jane Boyd

Herbert & Mary's Baby

These Pictures are approximately 100 years old!



Rufus Elijah Lawton



Fannie Susan Davis Lawton

The Fuller Sisters:

Harriet Phlena Lawton

Eunice Abigail Williams

Electa Roena Lewis

Lucy Angeline Williams



I'm not sure of their
position in the photo?